

DETERMINATION OF NONSIGNIFICANCE

Description of proposal: This checklist addresses a proposed windpower leasing action covering four parcels in Klickitat County. The total area considered for leasing and evaluated under this checklist includes four parcels totaling about 2000 acres. This SEPA action is only addressing the act of leasing by DNR. Permitting for the project must go through Klickitat County's permitting process which will consider environmental and other impacts.

Proponent: Department of Natural Resources

Location of proposal, including street address, if any:

All, Section 36, Township 3 North, Range 14 E. W.M. W1/2, SE1/4, Section 36, Township 3 North, Range 15 E. W.M. All, Section 36, Township 4 North, Range 20 E. W.M. E1/2SW1/4, SE1/4, Section 9, Township 3 North, Range 16 E. W.M.

Lead agency:

The lead agency for this proposal has determined that it does not have a probable significant adverse impact on the environment. An environmental impact statement (EIS) is not required under RCW 43.21c.030(2)(c). This decision was made after review of a completed environmental checklist and other information on file with the lead agency. This information is available to the public on request.

- There is no comment period for this DNS
- This DNS is issued under 197-11-340(2); the lead agency will not act on this proposal for 14 days from August 21,2006 Comments must be submitted by September 5, 2006

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There is no agency SEPA appeal.